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During the week there were recorded in the city of Veracruz 37 deaths (59.2 per 1,000, annual death rate) from all causes, including 13 from tuberculosis. None of the deaths recorded was reported to have been caused by yellow fever or malaria.

Three new cases of yellow fever were reported, all on July 13. One of the cases developed at San Juan de Ulloa fortress.

#### NICARAGUA.

##### *Report from Bluefields, fruit port.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Reilley reports as follows: Week ended July 16, 1904. Present officially estimated population, 4,000; no deaths; prevailing disease, malarial fever; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
July 14	Nicaragua .....	20	15	0	0
15	Ometep .....	10	0	0	0
16	Banan .....	17	9	0	0

#### PANAMA.

##### *Reports from Colon—Inspection of vessels.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Mohr reports, July 16 and 19, as follows:

During the week ended July 16, 1904, the following-named vessels cleared for ports in the United States:

British schooner *Potomac* for New York, July 11, with 8 crew and no passengers; British steamship *Nicaraguayan* for New Orleans, July 11, with 47 crew and 54 passengers, via Mexican ports; Spanish steamship *Montevideo* for Ponce, P. R., July 12, with 121 crew and 63 passengers, via South American ports; American steamship *Yucatan* for New York, July 13, with 68 crew and 41 passengers; German steamship *Bradford* for New Orleans, via Limon, Costa Rica, July 14, with 39 crew and no passengers; British steamship *Craigneuk* for a port in the United States, via Cardenas, Cuba, July 16, with 23 crew and no passengers.

##### *Mortuary statistics, June, 1904—Sanitary conditions—Yellow fever death at Panama.*

There occurred during the month of June, 1904, 18 deaths, as shown by the official records, from the following causes: Fevers, 8; pneumonia, 1; rheumatism, 1; epilepsy, 1; colic, 1; dropsy, 2; injury, 1; parturition, 1; stillbirth, 1; cause not given, 1. Of these there were foreign whites, 2; West Indian and other negroes, 12; natives of Panama, 6. Classified according to ages as follows: Under 1 year, 2; 1 to 5 years, 2; 5 to 15 years, 2; 30 to 40 years, 5; 40 to 50 years, 5; 50 to 60 years, 1; over 60 years, 1.

The general sanitary conditions of Colon continue fairly good and no cases of quarantinable diseases have so far been reported. In Pan-